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1. The Szczecin (Stettin) branch of the Fishery Service Enterprise (Przedsiębiorstwo Usług Rybackich-P.U.R.) employs 200 workers. The director of the branch is Kolodziejczyk, and the vice-director is Hieronim Sujkowski; both are members of the Communist Party.
2. The firm is divided into the following departments: administration; processing and unloading; purchase and sale (this department distributes fish, which cannot be used for freezing, to the market); cold storage; and a workshop for small repairs to fishing craft.
3. The cold storage warehouse is equipped with four ammonia compressors with a total calorific energy of up to 800,000. The compressors have electric motors of the following types:

Linde (large)	110 kw. (German)
Linde (small)	75 kw. (German - A.E.G.)
Borsig	84 kw. (German)

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The warehouse also has an ice-producing plant, producing 28 to 30 tons of ice in bars. The ice is kept in the cold storage warehouse and is distributed to the fishing boats for preservation of fish. In addition to storing fish, the warehouse also stores butter, fruit, meat, game, and surplus broken eggs.

4. Two to three fishing boats come into the P.U.R. at Szczecin every month. Each ship brings in 60 tons of fish, including herring.
5. The shortage of fishing craft and gear in Poland makes it difficult to fish according to the scheduled plan. The actual catches are excellent, and the boats return to port from the fishing areas with a minimum of 40 tons of fish. The shortage of fish on the home market is due to the fact that the major part is processed, canned, and subsequently delivered to satellite countries.

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